

REMARKS

Claims 1-44 were pending. In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 27, 2005, Applicant herein elects the invention of Group III, claims 26-43, drawn to a kit. The election is made without traverse.

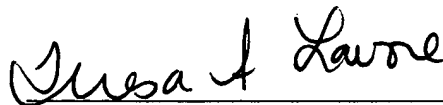
Applicant has cancelled claims 1-25 and 44 without prejudice to further prosecution in a divisional or continuation application. Applicant has also amended claims 28, 30-31, 33, and 37, and added new claims 45-49. The amendments find support throughout the specification as filed; no new matter has been added. Accordingly, claims 26-43 and 45-49 are pending.

Under 35 U.S.C. § 121, Applicant elects the species of a supplement kit. Claims 26-34 and 45-49 read upon a supplement kit species.

Given all of the above, Applicant respectfully requests examination of the pending claims. Applicants note that the one-month period for response to the action dated July 27, 2005 fell on a Saturday, and therefore respectfully assert that the present response date of August 29, 2005 is timely. No fee is believed due; however, should any fees be due, please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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